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**From:** Matlock, Dennis [/O=EXCHANGELABS/OU=EXCHANGE ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=7EB30E129A9246E5B47301D1D0622A15-DMATLOCK]  
**Sent:** 8/31/2017 2:01:06 PM  
**To:** Towle, Michael [Towle.Michael@epa.gov]  
**Subject:** Re: Paden City

Thx

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On Aug 31, 2017, at 9:51 AM, Towle, Michael <[Towle.Michael@epa.gov](mailto:Towle.Michael@epa.gov)> wrote:

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Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "McDougal, Jason S" <[Jason.S.McDougal@wv.gov](mailto:Jason.S.McDougal@wv.gov)>  
**Date:** August 31, 2017 at 9:49:01 AM EDT  
**To:** "Towle, Michael" <[Towle.Michael@epa.gov](mailto:Towle.Michael@epa.gov)>  
**Cc:** "Huggins, William" <[William.Huggins@wv.gov](mailto:William.Huggins@wv.gov)>  
**Subject:** RE: Paden City

Mike,

Thank you for the quick response on this. Yes the WVDEP would support EPA's removal site evaluation of PCE contamination in ground water in Paden City. Please contact William Huggins and copy me in the future.

Bill,

Please contact me so I can brief you on the situation so far. If you need me to.

Thanks All

Jake

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**From:** Towle, Michael [<mailto:Towle.Michael@epa.gov>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 30, 2017 4:36 PM  
**To:** McDougal, Jason S <[Jason.S.McDougal@wv.gov](mailto:Jason.S.McDougal@wv.gov)>  
**Subject:** Paden City

J –

I appreciated hearing from you and Pete yesterday re: possible PCE source affecting some of the raw supply for the Paden City.

I contacted Mr. Baker and got a good briefing. After hearing what the issues were and hearing what they were planning to do on their own, I felt that the appropriate first steps were to offer an assessment focused on the suspected source and how that suspected source area would/could impact the public supply. Lew arranged a City contact (Josh Billiter). I offered to coordinate with them since they already seemed to have a head start on what they thought needed to be done.

If you would find a moment, I would appreciate a quick return email indicating that WVDEP would support our initiation of a removal site evaluation (a/k/a Assessment) of PCE contamination in ground water near one or more of the public supply wells in Paden City. It will help me document the reasons we started this assessment activity.

I would also appreciate if you could provide the WVDEP contact for future coordination. It would be valuable to get this off the ground in the most collaborative way.

I can always be reached at: Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP) Thanks.